

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Akira NONAKA et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2437
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Application No.: 09/741,668)	Examiner: Zachary A. Davis
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Filed: December 19, 2000)	
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For: DATA PROCESSING)	Confirmation No.: 7062
APPARATUS, DATA)	
PROCESSING SYSTEM, AND)	
DATA PROCESSING METHOD)	
THEREFOR)	

Mail Stop: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 1, 2009, the period for reply to which extends through August 3, 2009 (August 1, 2009 being a Saturday), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendments section of this paper.